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Jack L. Hoffa et al.

Serial No.: _____

Filed: _____

For: _____

WIRE AND CABLE CUTTING
AND STRIPPING USING
ADJACENT BLADES

Pasadena, California
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a true copy of parent application Serial No. 08/845,065 filed April 21, 1997, entitled "WIRE AND CABLE CUTTING AND STRIPPING USING ADJACENT BLADES".

Respectfully submitted,


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CERTIFICATE

I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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PATENT

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Continuation Application
Under 37 CFR 1.60
Pending Application of

Jack L. Hoffa et al.
Serial No. 08/353,352 (Parent)
Filed 12/2/94

For: WIRE AND CABLE CUTTING
AND STRIPPING USING
ADJACENT BLADES

Art Unit 3206

Pasadena, California
April 16, 1997

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR
FILING CONTINUATION APPLICATION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.60 FILED HEREWITH**

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the continuation application as
established under 37 CFR 1.60: